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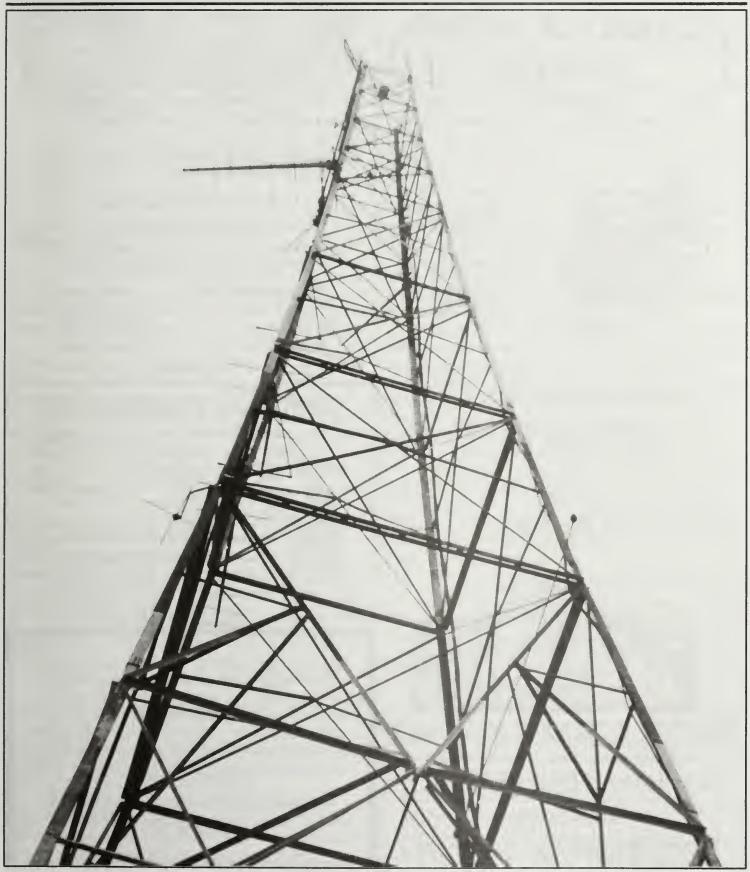

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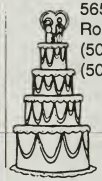

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The Golden Age of Wireless

Marion's Pioneering Radio Station Makes Waves

A stoic, now-defunct landmark stands on Mill Street as the sole remnant of one of Marion's past glories. The oft-cited "Marconi tower" is all that is left of what was one of the world's most powerful wireless radio stations ... and has recently spawned a new wave of interest in the aftermath of a new elderly housing complex which has been appropriately dubbed "Marconi Village" due to its proximity to the once-active transmitter.

Catching the crest of this wave, the Sippican Historical Society is sponsoring a talk on the Marconi wireless radio station on Tuesday, March 15 at 7:30 pm in the parish hall of St. Gabriel's Church. Joyce Kohout, who has been busy collecting data and interesting tidbits about the historic landmark for the last few weeks, will be the featured speaker.

Appropriately enough, Ms. Kohout's father, Clyde "Bud" Backus, was the Engineer in Charge for the station from 1947 through 1956.

"My father was educated in Washington state as a hydro-electrical engineer," she said. "He then worked for awhile in Bolinas and was later transferred to Rocky Point on Long Island. When the Marion transmitter was up and running, he came here in the hopes of becoming the Engineer in Charge."

Ms. Kohout, a Sippican Elementary School teacher, has been busy interviewing people who once worked at the station to gather more information about the day-to-day workings of the plant. She continues to collect memorabilia for the Sippican Historical Museum's collection on this important part of Marion's history. After her talk this week, the material and data collected will become part of a regular exhibit.

"Once we get all this information collected, we'll have a formal display at the museum," she said.

Back in 1920, when the station began beaming longwave messages across the Atlantic Ocean and into the Pacific, it was considered one of the world's wonders. The original station boasted 14 towers — each 440 feet high. Wires connecting and crossing the towers were 52 miles in length. This allowed the station the capacity to support two shortwave bands, one mediumwave, and two longwave frequencies.

The towers could be seen across Buzzards Bay to Monument Beach and Pocasset ... and many mariners used them to help steer their courses. At night, the bright red aircraft lights topping the towers could be seen from twenty miles away.

When it was built back in 1914 for the American Marconi Company, it occupied over 143 acres off the northwest corner of Routes 6 and 105 in Marion. The station was intended for direct communication with a similar station at Savenger, Norway. The Marion site was chosen because of its comparable latitude and longitude in relation to the Norwegian station.

In 1919, General Electric and Westinghouse jointly formed the Radio Corporation of America (RCA) and the newly-acquired Marion station — along with one in New Brunswick, NY and one in Chatham on Cape Cod — became one of the pioneering and most powerful wireless stations in the world. Two large 50.5 ton alternators were built expressly for the site and were kept actively on call 24 hours a day.

"My father wrote a short history of the plant once and he noted that one of the two alternators was sent to the Smithsonian Institute," Ms. Kohout said. "I was bold enough to call them and found out that they still have it in storage."

Along with the smaller receiving station in Chatham, the two Massachusetts stations were able to transmit and receive messages simultaneously at a high number of words per minute.

The Marion station was solely a transmitting station and did not receive communications — the station in Chatham did all the receiving. Messages were keyed in Continental code to Chatham, and were then transmitted from there along a telegraph wire to Marion where they were "speeded up" to an enormous voltage. These were then "sparked" at Marion and flashed out from the 440-foot-high, mile-long aerials.

"It's amazing how much power these alternators generated," Ms. Kohout said. "When the messages were sent to Marion over telegraph lines, it then took eight minutes to get the two alternators up and running."

At its peak, the station broadcast weather information to stations over 6,000 miles away and was a vital navigational aid to thousands of aircraft and ships. The Chatham station would receive weather information from all over the world ... which was then forwarded to Marion which transmitted it to Andrews Air Force Base near Washington, D.C., where it would be edited, compiled and Teletyped back to Marion. The Marconi Station would then beam the vital information overseas.

But as time went on and World War II ended, the Marion station started going the way of the dinosaur. "Once shortwave took over, it became much more economical," Ms. Kohout said. "The longwave station quickly became obsolete, although it still was much more reliable than shortwave. But it just became too expensive to keep up and maintain."

With the advent of new technologies and the passage of

On the cover: The landmark "Marconi Tower," located on Mill Street in Marion, was once part of one of the world's most powerful wireless communication stations owned and operated by the RCA Company. (Photo by Kenneth J. Souza).

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time, the station and its mammoth antennas were eventually rendered obsolete. After years of disrepair, the towers began to deteriorate. They were finally dismantled and taken down in August, 1960.

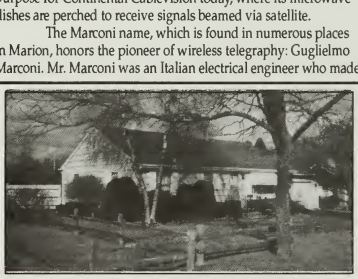
"The two larger towers started to rust and break apart," Ms. Kohout said. "And no one was willing to replace the beacons at the top of each, so they were taken down."

The lone tower now standing on Mill Street not only remains as a reminder of a time gone by, but also serves a vital purpose for Continental Cablevision today, where its microwave dishes are perched to receive signals beamed via satellite.

The Marconi name, which is found in numerous places in Marion, honors the pioneer of wireless telegraphy: Guglielmo Marconi. Mr. Marconi was an Italian electrical engineer who made the basic discoveries which led to wireless telegraphy and was the first man to send a transatlantic wireless signal on December 12, 1901. He later received the Nobel Prize in Physics for developing his beam system of long distance communication.

The Marconi Company set up stations around the world in order to facilitate global transfer of news and weather information in the dawning age of technology.

To find out even more about this fascinating subject, be sure to attend Ms. Kohout's talk on Tuesday, March 15 at 7:30 pm in the St. Gabriel's Church Parish Hall on Front Street in Marion. The talk is FREE, and the public is encouraged to attend. For those who would like to share their own memories of the Marconi station, you can contact Joyce Kohout at 748-0355.



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Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

March 8, 1994

By Bethany Morgan

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, March 8 at 7:00 pm by Chairman John N. DeCosta. Also present were Selectman Paul E. Lambalot, and Executive Secretary Carol J. Adams. Selectman Daniel Mahoney is away in California.

The board first approved the minutes for the March 1, 1994 meeting of the board and the March 1, 1994 minutes of the Executive Session. The board then signed the payroll and bills. Under appointments, the board appointed Eloise Ricciardelli of 1 Perry Avenue, Mattapoisett, to the Recycling Committee with a term to expire April 30, 1995.

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Meetings scheduled throughout the week included:

• Friday, March 11 — Bids for Curbside Recycling due at 3:00 pm.

• Wednesday, March 16 — Building Needs Forum, Old Hammondtown School at 7:00 pm. Chairman DeCosta and Selectman Lambalot will be attending and making opening remarks.

The board next reviewed correspondence from the Town Clerk to the Department of Public Safety regarding the underground storage exempt facilities including the Police station, Highway Department, and ORR School District. The board received notice that the Massachusetts Package Store Association's letter regarding the

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Incoming correspondence for the week included:

• Carol Ditata, General Manager, Continental Cablevision, sent a letter advising that WFXT has granted Continental permission to carry its signal until April 7 and that they are currently negotiating with WFXT for the purposes of a continuation for offering their programming.

• Joseph E. Costa, Executive Director of the Buzzards Bay Project, advised the board that Mattapoisett has been selected for funding for oil spill containment equipment in the amount of $2,500.

• Rep. Bill Straus submitted correspondence with regard to a local aid resolution which he co-sponsored with State Administrator Christopher J. Hodgkins. This resolution will give cities and towns an early indication of their state aid to facilitate the preparation of their budgets.

• Kent W. Davis submitted his resignation as a sixteen-year police officer with the Town, effective April 1, due to increased duties as Senior Investigator for an insurance company.

Executive Secretary Carol Adams reminded the board it must meet with the town management staff to review articles for the Town Meeting agenda with a possible date of March 11 at 3:00 pm. Selectman Lambalot agreed to tentatively attend. Chairman DeCosta will not be able to attend.

The board next met with the Mattapoisett School Committee. Those present included Chairman Andrew Lynch, Peter Hodges, Gail Dunn and Mark Whalen. The committee first discussed the request of two Old Hammondtown educators for early retirement as outlined in the Education Reform Act. Having been approved by the School Committee, the board must now approve the requests before they appear as articles on the Town Meeting warrant. "The town will be making money if the early retirement is approved," Mr. Lynch said. Selectman Lambalot requested further clarification of the numbers involved and a meeting with the Finance Committee.

The Committee next discussed a possible addition to the excise tax forms that would allow for the voluntary

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contribution of $1.00 to a scholarship or education fund. Peter Hodges stated that other considerations are involved such as the creation of new excise forms and an accounting of the monies collected.

Lastly, the board met with Police Chief James F. Moran to discuss his recommendation for contracting Comstar of Ipswich to handle the town's ambulance billing. Currently, the town is "losing money because we can't bill out properly," he said. Billing will be based on services rendered as opposed to the current one-time charge of $150 per run. The board tentatively agreed to accept Comstar and will be voting on the issue later this week.

At 8:50 pm, the board went into Executive Session to discuss pending litigation between the town and SEMASS, and would come out of the session only to adjourn for the evening.

Marion Selectmen's Meeting
March 8, 1994

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, March 8, 1994 at 7:00 pm by Chairman James S. Dougall. Also present were Selectman Loretta B. Schaefer, Selectman Albert E. Winters, Executive Secretary Ray Pickles, and Secretary Helene Craver.

After approving the minutes of the March 1 meeting and signing and approving the warrant for the week, the board approved two seasonal all-alcoholic beverage licenses for Jimmie's Variety and Harriet's Restaurant, effective April 1 through November 30.

At 7:15 pm, the board met with Judith Klevin concerning the installation of climate control equipment in the Elizabeth Taber Library. Ms. Klevin explained that the Finance Committee had moved to place an article on the

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Mr. Pickles noted that the FinCom may want to amend the amount which will appear on the warrant to $20,000, since it will be included as an override item.

The board then discussed the pending contract renewal with Continental Cablevision, which will expire on June 30, 1994. Chairman Dougall wanted to know if the town was locked into renewing with Continental Cablevision, or can they seek out other services. Selectman Winters said that could be done only if they have irreconcilable differences and could not reach an agreement. At this point in time, they can still negotiate some of the contract specifics with the company.

"I was under the impression that the entire town was to be serviced by the end of this contract," Chairman Dougall said.

"That is one of the stipulations we've discussed," agreed Selectman Winters. "We're hoping they continue to expand their service, especially Indian Cove."

The board also agreed to continue looking into the expansion and regionalization of the New Bedford airport. Mayor Rosemary Tierney sent a letter to the board inviting them to attend a meeting on March 22 at 9:00 am to explore these possibilities. Mr. Pickles also said the Police Union representatives have agreed to meet with the board on Tuesday, March 22 at 5:30 pm to discuss contract negotiations.

At 7:30 pm, Patricia Figueiredo and other representatives from Littleneck Village came before the board to discuss the possibility of expanding the complex with two new units. "We'd like to know if we could look into constructing and expanding with two new units," Ms. Figueiredo said. "We're asking that a study be conducted to determine where the units should be located, and what plans should be used."

Mr. Pickles informed them that they need to get copies of the original plans from 1976 and can use those as a

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Ms. Figueirido noted that there are currently 30 people on a waiting list for places in complex, and these two units would make eight new apartments available.

Under incoming correspondence, the board received approval from the Buzzards Bay Project awarding them a $1,500 grant to purchase a trailer in which to store oil spill equipment. This grant is part of the new oil spill mutual aid agreement which has been signed by

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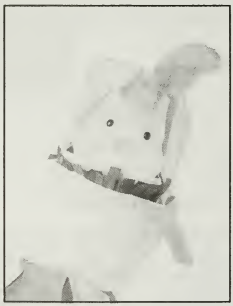
municipalities throughout Buzzards Bay. The board also received a response from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) granting them permission to proceed with the sewer system extension project on Delano Road.

At 7:45 pm, Joseph P. Zora, Jr. came before the board once again to discuss the effluent line which runs on a piece of property owned by Zora Enterprises. Mr. Zora said he had some concerns about the wording of the original easement which granted only limited rights to the Town of Marion in regards to the brook at the site. "The only purpose granted in this instrument (easement) is for the town to dig, repair and maintain the ditch," he said. "I have a problem with the property being used for a purpose that was not specified."

The board had already received a legal ruling from Town Counsel Thomas P. Crotty on this matter and had given a copy to Mr. Zora. But they agreed to ask for a clarification of the ruling in response to Mr. Zora's questions.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they adjourned for the evening at 8:25 pm.



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The board spent the first hour and a half reviewing line items in the fiscal 1995 budget in order to present the final figures to the Finance Committee in anticipation of the upcoming Annual Town Meeting. At 7:00 pm, Chairwoman Hawkes announced the continuation of a hearing on the application of Walter Hartley, Sr. for an Earth Removal Permit for property off Walnut Plain Road.

If passed, the permit would allow Mr. Hartley to begin Phase I of a four-phase project to construct a cranberry bog at the site, beginning with the removal of 333,000 cubic yards of earth from the parcel in order to create a reservoir to irrigate the bog.

The abutters present for the hearing were all concerned that the construction of a cranberry bog at the proposed site would decrease their property values during and after the construction; increase the vehicle traffic along the road; and contaminate the environment by introducing chemicals (pesticides) into the groundwater through irrigation, aerial spraying, and accidental spillage.

Nine abutters signed a petition asking that the following be done before the project be allowed to proceed:

• An environmental impact study be performed by an independent firm which will include a baseline chemical analysis of the groundwater level and quality.

• The access road to the site be moved to a location other than Walnut Plain Road.

• A re-evaluation of existing property values of abutters be conducted by an independent real estate appraiser.

Lewis Hannigan, another resident of Walnut Plain Road, also wrote a letter opposing the project, stating "Cranberry bogs are great contaminators of the environment. Pesticides, fungicides, and insecticides are introduced into the groundwater either directly through irrigation or aerial spraying ... If the water table is affected even a minute amount, I could lose my well."

But other abutters, like Amy D. Johnson, supported the project. "Please be assured that I have no qualms whatsoever about the presence of these bogs, essentially on my back door,"

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she wrote in a letter to the board. "While I regret the loss of forest land, I far prefer bogs to forty potential house lots."

Janice Look agreed with Ms. Johnson. "I am one of the abutters, and if I had any fear of chemicals contaminating my water, I'd oppose the project," she said. "But I have friends who live next to other cranberry bogs, and they're fine."

The Board of Selectmen, having met with Mr. Hartley two weeks ago, presented a draft of the Earth Removal Permit which had been drawn up, and Selectman Hughes noted that several of these issues had been addressed in the permit stipulations. Among them:

• Any abutters that request to have their water supply tested shall have the same tested at the beginning of the earth removal activity and at the end of the earth removal activity. Testing is to ensure there is no change in water quality as a result of the earth removal activity.

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• Earth removal shall be conducted only between the hours of 7:00 am and 4:30 pm, five days per week, Monday through Friday, excepting Federal and State holidays. No earth removal shall be allowed on Saturday and Sunday.

• The direction of travel from the excavation site will be south to Route 105 and then to either direction.

"I think we have a situation where both the applicants and the residents have to learn to live together in harmony," Selectman Hughes said. "Mr. Hartley is going to do everything possible to make sure his neighbors are happy, because he has to come back before the board later to request another permit to continue Phase II of the project."

With these stipulations in place, the board unanimously approved the Earth Removal Permit request.

At 7:30 pm, Donna Ziobro came before the board to announce that Clean Up Day will again be held in Rochester this

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year on April 30, beginning at 9:00 am. Ms. Ziobro wanted to make sure the Town Hall was available as a drop-off site and noted that they will be picking up metals, white goods and tires ($1 regular, $5 trucks). The board unanimously approved designating April 30 as "Clean Up Day" in Rochester.

Fire Chief Joseph Clapp next came before the board to inform them that the new 1,000-gallon pumper/tanker has been delivered and is at the Fire Station. "The pumper looks excellent and is in great condition," he said. "Once we get all the paperwork straightened out, representatives from the fire truck company will come down and train our fire fighters. We'll also be holding an Open House in the near future so people can come and see what they've paid for."

The board then approved a transfer of $8,682.17 into the

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gasoline account to pay an invoice for filling the Dexter Lane tank. Police Chief Walter Denham asked why the tank hasn't been more carefully monitored to make sure they don't run out of gas. "Last week we ran out of gas at a crucial time ... on the night before the snow storm," he said. The board agreed to confer with Chief Denham and Highway Surveyor Jeff Eldridge on monitoring the gasoline levels in the tank.

Selectmen unanimously approved the payment of an invoice for the new Fire Department pumper/tanker in the amount of $158,300 and approved a transfer of $2,000 into the Dog Officer's account to cover kennel and storage expenses. The board also unanimously approved a General License for Darlene Sullivan of Gerrish Road for the sale and delivery of balloons.

Under correspondence for the week, the board approved a written request from Town Treasurer Doris Boucher to seek legal counsel in the matter of a Tax Title Account for Ravenbrook Farms, Inc. and also received a copy of the Order of Conditions issued by the Conservation Commission to the Rochester Highway Department for repair work to be done on Hiller's Bridge and Mary's Pond Road.

The board then discussed possible candidates for dedication of this year's Annual Town Report. Chairwoman Hawkes read a list of several names submitted by various town officials, and Selectman Hughes moved that the report be dedicated to Jane Ellis for her many contributions to the town. Chairwoman Hawkes noted that they could dedicate it to two women and also suggested Georgia Chamberlain for her many years of service. Both were approved via unanimous vote.

A brief discussion on the roads which had been discontinued in town commenced again. Chairwoman Hawkes noted that the roads were discontinued solely for the purposes of maintenance. "We need to know what the town's liability is in terms of access for fire and police personnel," she said. "I move we contact Town Counsel and get a legal ruling on all the roads." The board unanimously approved the motion and would submit a list of those roads discussed last week for his opinion.

Selectmen then discussed articles for the upcoming Annual Town Meeting to be held on May 16. Chairwoman Hawkes said she thinks all the articles should be reviewed by Town Counsel before being placed on the warrant. But Selectman Hughes suggested having him only review those which they considered questionable.

"I would feel more comfortable in having him review all the articles this time around," Chairwoman Hawkes said. "He's never reviewed any of them in the past, and I think it would be in our best interest."

The board unanimously agreed to send all the articles to Town Counsel for review and noted that the deadline for article submissions would be April 22. After being reviewed by Town Counsel, the board would then vote to place them on the warrant on May 2.

At 8:10 pm, the board convened as the Personnel Board to discuss pending personnel policy matters and would adjourn for the evening at 8:50 pm.

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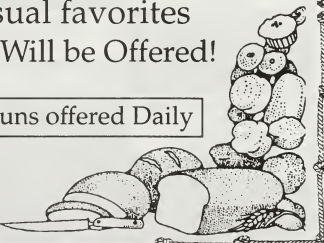

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During a somewhat emotional ceremony in the Mattapoisett Town Hall Conference Room last Tuesday, March 1, Sergeant Edwin F. Pina of the town's Police Department was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant, making him officially the second in command of the force under Chief James F. Moran. Officiating at the ceremony along with Chief Moran were Selectmen Chairman John N. DeCosta, Selectman Daniel O. Mahoney, and Selectman Paul E. Lambalot.

Surrounded by his family, friends and fellow officers, Lt. Pina expressed how much he enjoys working for the town and pledged his continued efforts to protect and serve the community he so admires.

After coming to Mattapoisett from Marion where he worked as a part-time officer, Lt. Pina was appointed patrolman in July of 1977 and has served the department ever since. He was later promoted to Sergeant in June, 1981 and later Detective Sergeant in July of 1985.

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the training of the town's EMT's. Having served unofficially as second-in-command for the department since October of 1993 (when Lt. Santos retired), Lt. Pina was the most likely and eligible candidate for the new position.

"(Mr.) Pina has shown that he possesses the leadership qualities needed to attain the rank of lieutenant," said Chairman DeCosta. "He's devoted years of service to his department and this town."

Chief Moran echoed the sentiments of those present at the ceremony, adding: "Eddie and I have worked together for a long time ... we've gotten dirty together rolling around in the gutters rounding up criminals. I think we've both grown and learned a lot over the years, and I'm confident he will continue to do his best for the department."

Mattapoisett's Expectant Father

Mattapoisett Town Accountant Joseph Bolton was greeted with a bevy of presents and well wishes from his fellow Town Hall employees during a surprise Baby Shower held last Friday afternoon (March 4) at 12:00 noon. The non-traditional event for the expectant father was held in anticipation of a new addition to the family, whose arrival is still some six weeks away. Although his wife, Zita, will actually be delivering the new bundle of joy, Mr.

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Mattapoisett Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the week of March 1 - 8, 1994:

- Ship Street — larceny from building
- Lebaron Way — larceny (pickpocket)
- North Street — adult arrest
- Industrial Drive — bad check
- Ocean Drive — harassing phone calls
- County Road — lost and found (wallet)
- Boat Rock Road — larceny from building
- County Road — motor vehicle accident, hit and run, property damage
- River Road — dog complaint
- Brandt Island Road — operating under the influence
- North Street — burglary
- Mattapoisett Neck Road — motor vehicle accident
- County Road — vandalism to motor vehicles in lot
- Mechanic Street — attempted larceny, past.

Rochester Police Log

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- North Avenue — suspicious activity
- High Street — suspicious activity
- Cushman Road — roadway complaint
- Walnut Plain Road — motor vehicle accident
- High Street — assist citizen.

Marion Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the week of February 27 - March 5, 1994:
- Delano Road — officer wanted
- Spring Street — fire alarm
- Front Street — breaking and entering, past
- Spring Street — officer wanted
- Pleasant Street — health/welfare
- Wareham Road — escort
- Converse Road — animal complaint
- Spring Street — larceny, past
- Wareham Road — disturbance
- Spring Street Extension — motor vehicle accident, property damage
- County Road — motor vehicle accident, property damage
- Indian Cove Road — larceny, past
- Wareham Road — vandalism, past

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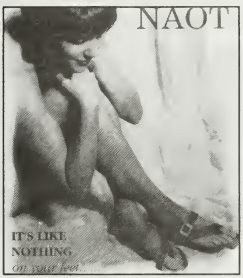

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The Sousa numbers will include "El Capitan Waltzes," "Glory of the Yankee Navy" (March), and "Jack Tar" (March). These marches, while unfamiliar to most, even to bandsmen, are some of the best ever written ... and will be enjoyed because people enjoy marches.

Show medleys from "The Sound of Music" and "Aladdin," while appealing to two different generations, can also be appreciated by everyone. Because the date is only three days after St. Patrick's Day, a medley by Clare Grundman, titled "Irish Rhapsody," will be included. Other selections will include "Stockholm's Blasorchester," a march by Sam Rydbert; "Das Pensionat Overture" by Franz von Suppe; "Tiroler Holzhacker Buab'n" (Tyrolean Woodchopper), a march by Josef Franz Wagner; and "Themes Like Old Times," a medley by Warren Barker which includes such songs as "Peg O' My Heart" and "Alexander's Ragtime Band."

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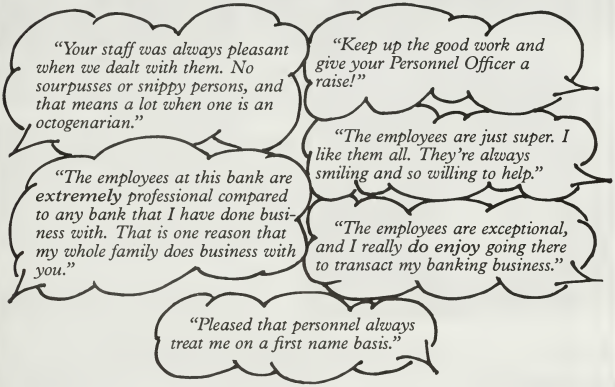

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American Legion Meeting

The Florence Eastman Post 280 of the American Legion will hold their next meeting at the Legion Hall on Depot Street on Wednesday, March 16 at 7:30 pm. Eligible members are invited to attend and join the post.

Public Meeting in Rochester

A Public Meeting with representatives of the Todesca Corporation will be held at the Rochester Town Hall on March 24 at 7:30 pm to discuss the company's establishing of an asphalt plant in town. Interested residents and abutters are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Mattapoisett Seniors Meeting

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- Marion (Grades K-6) — 12:30 pm
- Mattapoisett (Kindergarten) — 10:45 am
- Mattapoisett (Grades 1-6) — 12:20 pm
- Rochester (Kindergarten) — 10:30 am
- Rochester (Grades 1-6) — 12:30 pm
- ORR District (Grades 7-12) — 11:30 am.

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A weekly, one-hour group session titled "In The Mood: How do you feel to be 60 or older?" is now in progress and is open to all Mattapoisett Elders. Led by a nurse from the Community Nurse Association of Fairhaven through a grant from Coastline Elderly Services, the sessions are held from 1:30 to 2:30 pm in the Activity Room of the Mattapoisett Housing Authority on the following dates: March 14, March 21, March 28, April 4, and April 11. For more information, call 992-6278.

Rochester Seeks Personnel Review Board Members

The Rochester Board of Selectmen is seeking residents to serve on an appointed Personnel Review Board to examine the town's existing Personnel Policy and offer suggestions for improvement. Any resident interested in volunteering to serve on this five-member board should send a cover letter and resume to the Board of Selectmen, c/o Town Hall, 560 Rounseville Road,

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Anyone interested in contributing to this scholarship program is encouraged to do so at any time. Donations may be made to celebrate joyous occasions like anniversaries and special birthdays as well as honor the memory of a loved one.

Marion Natural History Museum

On Wednesday, March 23 from 3:00 to 4:30 pm, Marie Hetzel will present an after school program, "The Truth About Wolves." She will offer a slide show and discussion, followed by an opportunity to draw these fascinating animals.

On Thursday, March 31 at 7:30 pm sharp, Wild Again will be discussing "What's In A Wetland?" They will be bringing in live wetland dwellers such as a possum, skunk, owl, toad, and turtle and will discuss the importance of preserving our wetland resources.

For further information on either event, please call Elizabeth Hammack-Leidhold at 758-9089.

Mattapoisett Museum in March

"Distaff" is defined as: 1. a staff on which flax, wool, etc. is wound for use in spinning; hence, 2. woman's work or concern; hence, 3. woman or women in general.

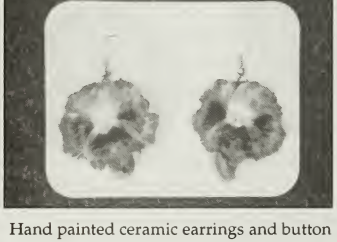
On Tuesday evening, March 22, Bette Roberts, Curator of the Mattapoisett Historical Museum and Carriage House, will present a program on "The Distaff Side of Mattapoisett History," hence, a program about the role women have played in our town's history, some women of note, and other interesting tales about the distaff side of Mattapoisett's past.

This program is open to the public and we invite you to come and join us for what promises to be a different look at our town's history.

• *To the mystery shoveler:* A most sincere "thank you" to the person who has been shoveling the front walk of the museum during these winter storms. Your efforts are much appreciated.

Chicken Pie Supper in Marion

The Marion United Methodist Church will be conducting its annual Chicken Pie Supper on Saturday, March 26. There will be two sittings — one at 5:00 pm with the second at 6:30 pm. The menu will include chicken pie, garden peas, glazed carrots, mashed potatoes, roll and butter, beverage, and grapenut pudding or Jello for dessert. Adult dinner



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Mattapoisett Women's Club Meeting

The March 17 meeting of the Mattapoisett Women's Club will commence at 12:00 noon and will feature the "Kitchen Band" from St. Paul's Methodist Church in New Bedford.

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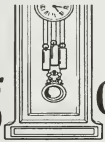
Big  **Or Small**,

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PTA Fundraiser at Papa Gino's

The Mattapoisett PTA is hosting a fundraiser at Papa Gino's in Fairhaven on Monday, March 14. A percentage of the proceeds will be donated to the PTA. Come and eat in or take out anything at Papa Gino's between 5:00 pm and 10:00 pm and you will be helping the PTA and yourself by having supper already prepared! All are welcome and encouraged to participate — you don't even have to be from Mattapoisett.

Tri-Town Early Advisory Council Meeting

The Tri-Town Early Advisory Council will hold a meeting at Sippican School in Marion on Tuesday, March 15 beginning at 3:30 pm. The meeting will take place in Room 30. An update on plans for the 1994 Tri-Town Celebration of the Week of the Young Child will be presented. Also, the Project GROW Parents' Group will report on their upcoming multicultural musical Scholarship fundraiser, "A World in Harmony," scheduled for Sunday, March 27 at 3:00 pm in Tabor Academy's Performing Arts Center.

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composed of parents, interested community members, and professionals from the local early childhood community. It includes representation from the public schools and private programs. It oversees the work of Project GROW which provides information, programs and services to the tri-town area young children and their families. Interested community members are encouraged to attend.

ORR District Offers Expanded Screening Clinic

In an effort to make services more accessible to Tri-Town area families, the ORR School District has collaborated with the Kennedy-Donovan Early Intervention Program and the I. H. Schwartz Early Intervention Program to offer screening clinics in Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester for children from birth to age three. These clinics will be held in conjunction with the district's regular screening clinics for three- and four-year-old children.

Like the clinics for three- and four-year-olds, families who question their child's development have the opportunity to bring the child for a screening appointment. If further services are needed, the Early Intervention Program will provide what is necessary. Early Intervention Programs are responsible for providing these services for the birth to age three population. Local school districts are responsible for providing such services to three- and four-year-olds.

Teams from Kennedy-Donovan and I. H. Schwartz will conduct the screenings for children from birth to age three. Project GROW staff will conduct the screenings for three- and four-year-old children.

The second of these expanded screening clinics is scheduled for Friday, March 25 at the Sippican School on Spring Street in Marion. Another expanded screening clinic will be held on May 27 at Memorial School in Rochester.

To make appointments for screening clinics, call the Sippican School at 748-0100. Be sure to indicate your child's age so that he/she is scheduled with the appropriate team. For further information on screening and early intervention, please call June Taylor, Early Childhood Coordinator, at 748-1863.

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STEP Course to be Offered

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St. Gabriel's Church in Marion

Holy Communion will be celebrated at both the 8:00 am Chapel and 10:00 am Church services on Sunday, March 13. There will also be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, March 16, as is the custom during the Lenten season.

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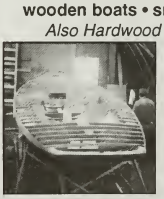

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Marion Voter Registration Sessions

Marion Town Clerk Debra M. Blanchette announced that there will be special voter registration sessions for the April 25, 1994 Annual Town Meeting and the April 29, 1994 Annual Town Election.

The sessions will be held on Tuesday, March 15 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm; Tuesday, March 22 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm; Saturday, April 2 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm; and Tuesday, April 5 from 8:00 am to 10:00 pm.

The final date for registration or change of party will be Tuesday, April 5, 1994. New voters may also register during regular office hours at the Town Hall from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 am to 3:30 pm on Friday.

Spring Craft Fair in Rochester

The Rochester Women's Club will hold a Spring Craft Fair from 12:00 noon to 5:00 pm on Sunday, March 20 at the Rochester Women's Club on Route 105 in Rochester. Gifts, baked goods, and handiwork will all be available and refreshments will be served. Tables may be rented for $10 each. For more information, please call Debby at 763-9248.

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Tickets for this special concert are $7.50 for members and $9 general admission. Refreshments are included in the ticket price. Reservations are recommended and can be made by calling 748-1266.

VFW Steak Supper and Dance in Marion

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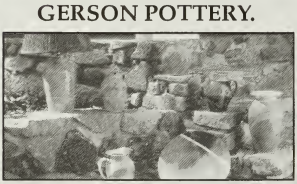
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Mattapoisett School Building Needs Forum

The public is invited to an informational and sharing of ideas forum to discuss the School Building Needs for the town of Mattapoisett. Concerned parents, teachers and citizens should attend and offer any positive suggestions or just absorb some of the many ideas that will be considered that evening.

The forum will be held on Wednesday, March 16 at 7:00 pm at Old Hammondtown School.

If you are concerned about the overcrowding of our schools, the projected number of students coming in, and the future of Center School, please make every effort to attend. Panel members will include a representative from at least three areas: the Board of Selectmen, the School Committee, and the former Building Needs Committee. This informative event is being sponsored by the Mattapoisett PTA.

American Legion Ham and Bean Supper

The Florence Eastman Post 280 of the American Legion will hold its third Ham and Bean Supper in 1994 on March 12 at 5:00 pm at the Post Headquarters on Depot Street. Tickets can be purchased by contacting John DeCosta (758-2310), Commander Evelyn Pursley (758-3329), Michael Lamoureux (758-3911) or Tony Rapoza (758-2202). Please come and help support our Post.

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spill containment equipment. The grants range in value from $1,000 to $3,500, and the total amount awarded bay-wide is $24,000. This is the second round of oil spill containment grants awarded by the Buzzards Bay Project and Buzzards Bay Action Committee. In 1991, $6,000 was awarded to four area towns for similar equipment.

Mattapoisett was granted $2,500 for said equipment, Marion was given $1,500, and Rochester received $2,000.

The intent of this grant program is to ensure that each Buzzards Bay community has at least 200 feet of containment boom available to respond to a limited size oil spill within their community. The Buzzards Bay Action Committee has also coordinated a bay-wide mutual aid agreement that commits area municipalities to cooperation in the event of a large spill.

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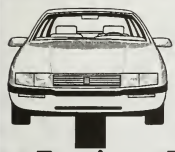

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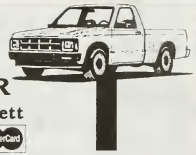

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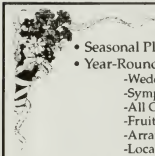

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Area Artists Display at Marion Art Center

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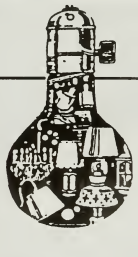
Works by Sis Denson, Monique Courcy, and Shirley Smith Brown will be shown through April 1. The galleries at the Marion Art Center are open to the public Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is FREE.



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"Sweetums," the Florida kitty offered here, was adopted by a Mattapoisett couple and seems to be adjusting nicely.

The latest addition to our list of adoptions is a large, nine-month-old orange tiger. He has been recently neutered and vaccinated and is a real purring lovebug. He is in foster care with Tara at 748-2164 and would love to be a part of your St. Patrick's Day celebration.

With the arrival of Spring the number of kittens needing a roof over their heads is increasing. If you would like to foster care some of the kittens until their adoption, please call one of the Animal Umbrella representatives:

- Mary Lou at 758-9202
- Priscilla at 758-2896
- Tara at 748-2164.

The organization will help with food, litter, and moral support to the foster care families. Also a note to area cat owners: Spring time is when the kitten population skyrockets ... but an easy solution to the problem is to have your female cats spayed. They are more loving after the surgery and there is a lower risk of feline diseases spreading from cat to cat

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Sippican Seniors

The next regular meeting of the Sippican Seniors will be held at 1:30 pm on Friday, March 11 at the VFW Pavilion in Marion. The popular Kitchen Band will entertain. Refreshments will be served under the guidance of Belle Anderson and her committee.

The Senior Drop-In Center in the Congregational Community Hall offers Bridge on Tuesday (call Doris Tortora at 295-2786) and Thursday (call Bob Bunnell at 748-1603). On the second and fourth Tuesday, Bridge is scheduled at various members' homes. Also offered are Whist Parties at 1:00 pm on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. For more information, please call Natalie Sullivan at 748-1467.

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Mattapoisett PTA Meeting

March 1, 1994

A meeting of the Mattapoisett PTA was held on March 1. President Debbie DeWalt welcomed everyone present and read correspondence received from the National PTA office.

There being no SOS requests from Center School this month, it was noted that Elisa Pearman's performance at Center School was thoroughly enjoyed by staff and students alike. Mr. Murphy was notified that the request made by him and his staff to dedicate the Center School Library to Mrs. Darrah was approved by the School Committee. Science Day was then outlined by Mr. Murphy and he also requested funds under the Principal's Request to make slides for the Kindergarten orientation on April 26.

Under Old Hammondtown School news, Bill Reed read a letter from Mr. Reed requesting funds be approved to change the salt water aquarium in the foyer of the school to a fresh water aquarium along with monies for maintenance of said item. The request was approved by all present. Duanne Smith outlined the Science Day that will be held at the school and their theme, which will be "Recycling." Also, Mr. Reed listed future expenses for travel and entry fees for the instrumental band at Old Hammondtown School.

Debbie DeWalt reported on the February School Committee meeting, urging all to try and attend the next School Committee meeting on Monday, March 4. Upcoming budgets for fiscal year 1995 will be discussed at this meeting.

Donna Bernier reported that Center School's Council is very close to firming up its Mission Statement. At the last meeting a video, supplied by the Massachusetts Department of Education, was shown. The subject was a presentation on the "Common Core of Learning," which is an outline for what every graduating student should have been taught and should know. It was suggested that the PTA view this video at their next meeting in April.

A Public Forum on the Building Needs of the town's Elementary Schools will be held on

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Under the Ways and Means Committee report, Debbie DeWalt noted that a Family Night Fundraiser at Papa Gino's will be held on March 14. More details and a separate flyer will be sent home with the students. Debbie also brought out a couple of ideas for another Family Night in May or June. She suggested either a speaker or family entertainment group. More details will be available in the coming months.

Annette Ewing next submitted her update Arts and Humanities Program Schedule for the remainder of the year. She also said she would continue her efforts in Arts and Humanities next year but would like someone to step forth and learn her job.

The next scheduled meeting of the Mattapoisett PTA will be held on Tuesday, April 5 at 7:00 pm in the Center School Cafeteria.

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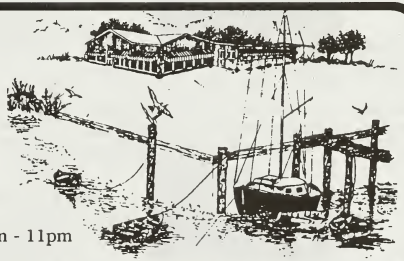

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Mattapoisett Council on Aging

Commodities Distribution

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Galleria Mall Trip

The next Mattapoisett Senior van mall trip will be held on March 24 to the Galleria Mall in Taunton. The van will leave Village Court at 9:15 am and St. Anthony's parking lot at 9:30 am. Please call 758-4110 if attending.

Tax Help

John Hall is again ready to help Mattapoisett seniors in tax preparation. John will take appointments for Monday mornings between 10:00 am and 12:00 noon. He would also like you to bring any and all forms received in the mail, and last year's returns. Please call the Mattapoisett COA at 758-4110 to make an appointment.

Blood Pressure Clinic

A Blood Pressure Clinic will be held on Wednesday, March 16 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm at the Legion Hall on Depot Street in Mattapoisett and is open to all Mattapoisett residents.

Marion Council on Aging

Tax Assistance

Seniors in Marion who need assistance in filling out their tax forms may come to the Town House, 2 Spring Street, for a FREE consultation. Appointments may be made for Wednesday mornings from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon by calling the COA office at 748-3570. Seniors are advised to bring all pertinent papers and forms with them.

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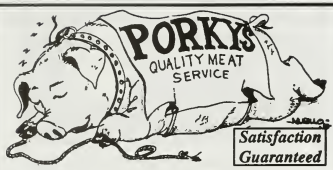

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Voter Registration

Check your census form to see if you are a registered voter. If not, you may do so at any time the Town Clerk's office is open, or during any of the following SPECIAL REGISTRATION SESSIONS:

- Saturday (March 12) from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Tuesday (March 15) from 7:00 to 7:30 pm
- March 16 (Last day to register) from 8:00 am to 10:00 pm.

Dogs

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Boat Registration/Documentation

All boat owners are to submit with their boat bills a copy of their boat's registration or documentation. This will be a one-time process as long as you own the boat. When a new boat is acquired, a copy of the new registration or documentation needs to be filed. If you wish, the Town Clerk's office will make the copies for you.

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This year, Jonathan's Sprouts in Rochester is planning a second Family Fun Concert on Saturday, March 19 at 1:00 pm at the Tabor Academy Center for Performing Arts in Marion. An optional admission charge to the event of $1 will benefit the Child and Family Service of New Bedford, which assists areas from Westport to Wareham.

Performers this year include Garry Krinsky, a new vaudeville performer, juggler, balancing specialist and storyteller; and Jonathan Sprout, who is returning with his audience interaction and song performance. For more information on this exciting event, please call Megan Tarini at 763-2577.

Old Colony Regional Voke

Cosmetology Students Attend Hair Show

Recently the students of the Cosmetology Department at Old Colony participated in the Annual Hair Show in Boston. The program was conducted at the John B. Hynes Convention Center.

The students participated in numerous

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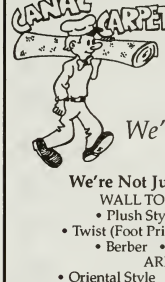

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available for community use. The eight-minute video provides the viewer with an overview of the vocational-technical facility. The video is used by the Guidance Department when presentations are made to community groups or interested eighth grade applicants. It highlights the various vocational offerings, the academic program, and the extra-curricular activities.

According to Ms. Paula Simmons of Old Colony's administration, "It stimulates questions and provides a synopsis of what we are all about."

Copies of the videotape are available in the local middle and junior high schools and at Old Colony. To find out more information about the video or to borrow a copy, contact your local school or the Guidance Office at Old Colony (763-8011, extension 26).

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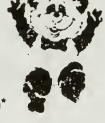

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According to Paula Simmons, an Administrator at Old Colony, the shadow program "allows the child to experience first-hand a typical day in a vocational technical program. It may help a student to decide whether or not Old Colony is an appropriate educational option."

In order to participate in the program, students should contact their guidance counselor and express their interest in shadowing for a day. The shadow program will be available through April. Students residing in Acushnet, Carver, Lakeville, Mattapoisett and Rochester are eligible to participate. For further information please contact Mrs. Janice Grandfield at Old Colony by calling 763-8011, extension 28.

New Brochure

Questions you may have about the choice of a vocational education are now answered in a single page brochure printed by the students in the Offset Printing Department at Old Colony Regional Voke. The brochure attempts to answer eight basic questions which students have about vocational technical education. The brochure is available to members of the community by calling 763-8011,

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extension 26. The materials for the brochure were made available through a Federal Grant without cost to the school.

Lions Club Art Auction Rescheduled

The Art Auction that was cancelled on Saturday, February 12 due to the snow storm has been rescheduled for April 9, 1994 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. (Further details will follow.)

Lions Club Pancake Breakfast

The Mattapoisett Lions Club is sponsoring a Pancake Breakfast at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street on Sunday, March 13 from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon. Breakfast will include pancakes, sausage, orange juice, coffee or milk. Tickets are $3.50 for adults and $2.50 for children. Tickets may be purchased from any Lions Club member or at the door the day of the event. Proceeds will benefit the Lions Club Sight First Program. Rumour has it that a well-known purple dinosaur is going to make a guest appearance.

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A big "thank you" goes out to all the people who are knitting hats for children with AIDS. To date, the Friends have sent out over 200 hats for babies born with the HIV virus. Now it is time to knit for the 3- to 6-year-olds.

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TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF HEALTH
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on March 16, 1994 at 7:30 pm in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall on the application of Landplus Partnership, Plan 39, Lot 3-T for the following:
Variance to a septic system.
Title V, 15.03(7) - distances
Rochester Rules Regulations, 3.7
John Lafreniere,Chairman
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TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
PLANNING BOARD

The Mattapoisett Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, March 22, 1994 at 7:30 pm in the Conference Room of the Town Hall on proposed Zoning By-Law changes to Section IX - Mattapoisett River Aquifer Protection District as follows:

ARTICLE: ZONING BY-LAW - MATTAPOISETT RIVER AQUIFER PROTECTION DISTRICT - To see if the town will vote to amend Section IX.B. Permitted Uses sections 4 and 6 by changing the words therein from "3000 square feet" to "2500 square feet," or take any other action relating thereto.
WATER/SEWER COMMISSIONERS

ARTICLE: ZONING BY-LAW MATTAPOISETT RIVER AQUIFER PROTECTION DISTRICT - To see if the town will vote to delete Section IX.C. Prohibited Uses in its entirety and substitute therefor a new list of prohibited uses.
WATER/SEWER COMMISSIONERS

ARTICLE: ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT: DENSITY REGULATIONS: To see if the town will vote to amend Section VI.C.2 by deleting it in its entirety and substituting therefor the following; 2. No structure of 150 square feet or less of floor area need be set-back from the rear or side property line more than five(5) feet. or take any action relating thereto.
INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

ARTICLE: ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT - REGULATION OF FLOOD HAZARD AREAS: To see if the town will vote to amend Section VIII - Regulation of Flood Hazard Areas by deleting the words "Effective Date July 2, 1987" in subsection B.1 and again in subsection B2 Paragraph 2 these words to be replaced with "Effective Date July 15, 1992", or take any other action relating thereto.
TOWN CLERK

ARTICLE: ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT - TYPOGRAPHICAL CORRECTIONS: To see if the town will vote to amend in General Regulations the heading for Section III.J. Cluster Housing to read "H. Cluster Housing", and in Section III.J.2 Filing of Application following the second paragraph add the header line "3. Contents of Application" prior to the words in the third paragraph "Said application and plan shall be prepared ...", or take any other action relating thereto.
TOWN CLERK

Copies of the complete text of the above articles and the present by-law being amended are available in the Town Clerk's Office during normal office hours.
Christopher Jaskolka, Clerk
Mattapoisett Planning Board. 3/4,3/11

education courses will be offered starting March 14 at Old Colony Regional Voke in Rochester. All classes consist of 18 hours of instruction and are open to all area residents. Each course costs $40 for six weeks with most classes running from 6:00 to 9:00 pm.

Courses offered will include Automotive Tune-up, Basket Making, Boat Navigation, Cake Decorating, Floral Design, Quilt Making, Photography, Watercolor/Oil Painting, Welding, Small Engine Repair, Drafting, Retirement Planning, Motivational Skills, College Preparation, Auto-CAD, and seven classes for the Personal Computer. All classes are subject to a minimum and maximum size and early sign-up is recommended.

For more information, contact Norman Reid at 763-8011 (ext. 23) anytime during normal school hours.

Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester

Eric Carle Story/Craft Hour

On Saturday, March 12 at 10:30 am, the Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester will present a Story/Craft Hour. The Story Hour will be centered around the books of writer/illustrator Eric Carle.

Children will be encouraged to create their own "Mixed Up Chameleons," "Very Hungry Caterpillars," and "Grouchy Ladybugs."

This program is open to all children, ages 3 to 6, and advanced registration is required. Please call the library at 763-8600, or stop by during library hours — Monday, 4:00 - 8:00 pm; Wednesday, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm; and Saturday, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

For more information, call the library at 763-8600 or stop by during library hours.

Tobey Hospital Ornament/Suncatcher

The Tobey Hospital ornament/suncatcher, designed by Mattapoisett's George C. Avila, is available now through Tobey Hospital Guild members and the hospital gift shop. The ornament is a fundraiser for the Guild, which provides, in addition to other activities, flowers for patients, and the Meditation Room, equipment for the hospital, and scholarship and advanced education aid for nurses and staff.

Ornaments are available from members in the following communities: Mrs. Thelma Sequeira, Marion (748-0305); Mrs. Jane Riley, Rochester and Carver (866-9964); and Mrs. Evelyn Pursley, Mattapoisett (758-3329). Mattapoisett ornaments may also be picked up at the Council on Aging office on weekday mornings. The ornaments cost $5 each.

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Project GROW Spring Concert

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The spring concert is being held as a fundraiser for the Project GROW Scholarship Fund, which was established several years ago. The intent of the Scholarship Fund is to have scholarships available to Project GROW students to further their education, upon graduation from high school. Their first Project GROW students will be members of the Class of 2002.

Tickets to this multi-cultural concert are $5 per person and are available at The Toy Box in Mattapoisett (Rope Walk Mall on Route 6), from any Project GROW parent, or by contacting Mrs. Marie Bourdon at 758-9066.

School Committee Meetings

The following is a schedule of School Committee Meetings for the month of March, 1994. All meetings are slated to begin at 7:30 pm. Those meetings marked with an asterisk (*) will be preceded by a Public Hearing to discuss each school's respective 1994-1995 fiscal budget.

• Monday, March 14 — Mattapoisett School Committee* at Old Hammondtown School on Shaw Street in Mattapoisett.

• Thursday, March 17 — Rochester School Committee* at Memorial School on Pine Street in Rochester.

• Monday, March 28 — ORR District School Committee and Massachusetts School Superintendency Union #55 in the Kunces Memorial Library at ORR High School.

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LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF SOLID WASTE FACILITY SITE REVIEW

Mattapoisett Solid Waste Transfer Station
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The undersigned has submitted an Application for Assignment of the above location as a Site for a Solid Waste Management Facility. The application has been submitted to the Board of Health of Mattapoisett, the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health.

Proof of the publication of this notice, when provided to the Department of Environmental Protection, shall initiate the Review Period to determine the suitability of the above project site pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 111, Sections 150A and 150A1/2 and the regulations promulgated therunder, 310 CMR 16.00.

Copies of the Site Assignment Application may be reviewed at the offices of the Board of Health of Mattapoisett and the Mattapoisett Library.

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) Regional Office in Lakeville shall receive comments on the proposed facility site for the initial 21 days of the Review Period. The applicant may modify the application for the initial 40 days of the Review Period where such modifications are deemed not to be major modifications. The Department shall issue a "Department Report on Suitability" within 60 days of commencement of the Review Period. The Review Period may be suspended if the Department deems that additional information is necessary to make its determination.

Town of Mattapoisett Board of Health 3/11/94

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Especially for the public and those who have been sharing information with the Sippican Historical Society on the Marconi-RCA Towers, a talk on the subject has been slated for Tuesday, March 15 at the Historical Society.

If you have any information, please call Joyce at 748-0355 or Betty at 748-2777.

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As with the first slam, which was very successful in raising money for Hands Across the River, this second installment of poetry-in-your-face is being organized by Susan Grace. "The slam is fun," she said. "It gets people to participate and realize that poetry isn't stodgy and boring." Ms. Grace wants to start a literary group in New Bedford, and all the proceeds from this slam will go to funding this endeavor.

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The format of the slam is that each contestant reads his/her poetry. Individuals should have three different poems prepared for the rounds of judging which is done by the audience. People are urged to sign up early for the open-reading, which takes place before the slam and featured reader.

A $10 prize will be awarded to the winner. Refreshments will be available and there is a $3 donation to support the new literary group. Tickets are available now at Baker Books and will be on sale at the door the night of the event. For further information, please call Susan Grace at 758-4694.

Zeiterion Present "Romeo and Juliet"

New Bedford's Zeiterion Theater will present two shows of Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" on Friday, March 18 — one for school students at 9:30 am, and a public performance at 8:00 pm. The National Players of Washington, D.C. present this classic Shakespearean tragedy sponsored by Compass Bank.

"Romeo and Juliet" is the tragic and passionate story of star-crossed love that explores the very depths and heights of romance. This famous tale of young lovers who risk all for their love stars Francesca Ferrara and Scott Fortier. Scott, originally from West Bridgewater, MA, attended Cardinal Spellman High School in Brockton.

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Monday, February 28 winners were:
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East-West
First; Dr. Roger Li and Douglas McCormac
Second; Leona Rosenberg and Bea Wollison
Third; Laura Poulton and Helen Horlbogen

Wednesday, March 2 winners were:
North-South
First;Dr. and Mrs. Bertram Howard
Tied for Second and Third; Lillian Johnson and Jack O'leary & Mae Lipp and Joan Greaves
East-West
First; Eleanor Lamarre and Dennis Brienzo
Second; Bertha Pentleton and Betty Whayne
Third; Evelyn Weidner and Ruth Cunningham

Thursday,March 3, winners were::
North-South
First;Sandra Koren and Betty Horowitz
Second;Eleanor Lamarre and Dennis Brienzo
Third;Susan Prescott and Mark Gallagher
Fourth; Joanne Greaves and Mae Lipp

Mattapoisett Bridge Club

Friday February 25 winners were:
North-South
First;Helen Demello and Jan Morris
Second; Barbara Ahlborn and Bob Holt
Third; Susan Miguel and Ilse Rothman
Fourth; Mary Lovell and Laura McLeod
East-West
First; May Vermette and James Harris
Second; Bob D'Anjou and Mark Gallagher
Third; Rheta Tuttle and Polly Dunham
Fourth; Barbara Gordon and Dr. Peter Knowlton

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• *Wednesday, March 16* — Baked ziti, or BBQ chicken in a roll, vegetable, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Thursday, March 17* — Hot dog in a roll, or toasted cheese, potato puffs, baked beans, fruit, dessert, milk.
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• *Wednesday, March 16* — Baked ziti, or BBQ chicken in a roll, vegetable, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Thursday, March 17* — Hot dog in a roll, or toasted cheese, potato puffs, baked beans, fruit, dessert, milk.
• *Friday, March 18* — Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.
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• *Tuesday, March 15* — Macaroni or Italian sub, broccoli, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.
• *Wednesday, March 16* — Soup, calzones, or chicken fritters, corn, applesauce, dessert, juice or milk.
• *Thursday, March 17* — Baked chicken, or ham and cheese croissant, rice, candied carrots, roll, dessert, juice or milk.
• *Friday, March 18* — Salisbury steak, or BBQ ribs, mashed potato, gravy, roll, peas, dessert, juice or milk.

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• *Tuesday, March 15* — Macaroni or Italian sub, broccoli, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.
• *Wednesday, March 16* — Soup, calzones, or chicken fritters, corn, applesauce, dessert, juice or milk.
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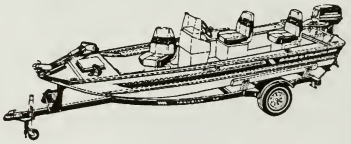

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March 12:	Sat.	6:02	5:47	11:45
March 13:	Sun.	6:00	5:48	11:48
March 14:	Mon.	5:58	5:49	11:51
March 15:	Tues.	5:56	5:51	11:55
March 16:	Wed.	5:55	5:52	11:57
March 17:	Thur.	5:53	5:53	12:00
March 18:	Fri.	5:51	5:54	12:03
March 19:	Sat.	5:50	5:55	12:05
March 20:	Sun.	5:48	5:56	12:08

Phases of the Moon

●	**New Moon**	March 12th	2:06am
☽	**First Quarter**	March 20th	7:20am
☺	**Full Moon**	March 27th	6:11am
☾	**Last Quarter**	April 2nd	9:55pm

Upcoming Astronomical Events

Twelve Hour Day
On March 17 the day will be exactly 12 hours and the night will be exactly twelve hours.
The official Equinox is on March 20.

Local Tides

Date	Day	High a.m.	High p.m.	Low a.m.	Low p.m.
March 11:	**Fri.**	7:06	7:24	1:00	1:10
March 12:	**Sat.**	7:46	8:03	1:31	1:36
March 13:	**Sun.**	8:24	8:42	1:59	2:02
March 14:	**Mon.**	9:02	9:21	2:27	2:29
March 15:	**Tues.**	9:41	10:00	2:57	2:59
March 16:	**Wed.**	10:21	10:41	3:28	3:32
March 17:	**Thur.**	11:03	11:25	4:03	4:08
March 18:	**Fri.**	11:50	. . .	4:42	4:50
March 19:	**Sat.**	12:15	12:44	5:28	5:39
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1990 Toyota Celica ST - 5 Speed, Air, Sunroof, One Owner Only $7,995

1991 Pontiac Grand Am SE - Every Option Available Including Power Seats, A real Special One, 26,000 Miles. Only $8,995

1985 Olds Calais - 2 Door, Automatic, Clean Only $2,195

1986 Pontiac Fiero - 46,000 miles Only $2,495

1987 BMW L7 - Every Option including Leather and Power Roof Only $12,995

1991 Infiniti M30 - Automatic, Every Option, Leather, Power Roof, and More. Only $12,995

1989 Acura Integra - Looks and Runs Like New Only $6,995

1987 VW Vanagon GL - 7 Passenger, Synchro 4 Wheel Drive, Dual Air and Heat. Only $5,995

1994 Chevy Cavalier - Automatic, Anti-Lock Brakes, Power Doors, 3,000 Miles and More Only $9,995

1990 Dodge Monaco LE - 4 Door sedan, 49,000 miles, V6 automatic, Air, Tilt, Cruise , and more. Only $5,995

1988 Ford Escort - 2 Door, 5 Speed, 50,000 Miles Only $2,495

1983 Cadillac Coupe DeVille - Every Option Including leather Only $2,995

1990 Acura Integra RS - 4 Door, Air, 5 Speed, Excellent Condition. Only $6,495

1987 Ford Tempo - 4 Door, Automatic, Low Miles. Only $2,995

1988 Hyundai Excel - 2 Door, Sedan, Hatch, Low Miles, Excellent Condition. Only $2,695

1989 VW Jetta GLI - 16 valve, 3 Door, Air, 5 Speed, Looks and Runs Like New. Only $6,995

1991 Ford Escort - 2 Door, 5 Speed Only $4,695

1988 Ford Econoline E250 Van V8, Automatic

1986 Dodge Aries K - 4 Door, Automatic, Air, Looks and Runs Good, Well Maintained. Only $2,295

1990 Mercury Cougar LS - Every Option, 40,000 Miles. Only $7,995

1986 Mercury Cougar - Air, Tilt, Cruise, Power Windows and Doors, Roof and More. Only $3,195

TRUCKS

1988 Ford Bronco II - V6, 5 Speed, 4 Wheel Drive. Only $5,495

1989 Ford Bronco II XLT - V6, Auto, Air, Tilt, Cruise, Power Windows and Doors, Low Miles and More. Only $8,995

1987 Toyota Pick-up - Extra Cab, 4-Wheel Drive Only $6,295

1988 GMC Sierra SLE - V-8, Automatic, Air, Tilt, Cruise, Power Windows and Doors, 56,000 Miles. Only $7,995

1988 GMC 4x4 - V8, Automatic, 1/2 Ton, 66,000 Miles, 8' bed. Only $8,195

1989 GMC - 2 Wheel Drive, 3/4 ton, V8 Automatic, One Owner. Only $6,995

1988 Toyota Xtra Cab - 4x4 with 4 Way Fisher Plow. Only $8,495

1988 Chevy 2500 3/4 Ton - 4x4, Stahl Utility Body, Power Windows, Doors, Air, V8, Automatic. Only $8,995

Dear Friend and Customer;

Are you tired of paying high prices for brand name prescription drugs? So are we-- the community pharmacies of this country. We are fighting to reduce dru prices by attacking the anticompetitive practices of most drug manufacturers.

Manufacturers raised the prices of their prescription drugs more than three times the inflation rate in the 1980's; and according to the Senate Committee on Aging's report of January 31, 1994, the inflation rate of drugs was 15.5 times greater than the general inflation rate in 1993. The price increases are artificially high and are not justified by increases in research or production costs because, among other reasons, the drug manufacturers (a) buy other people's research or merge with companies that have promising drugs; (b) benefit from basic research done by federal and academic laboratories; (c) get substantial tax breaks for their research or for moving production facilities to Puerto Rico; or (d) duplicate drugs that are already successful.

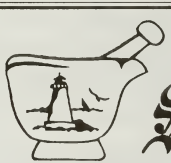
The drug manufacturers do not allow community pharmacies (chain or independent) to buy their products at the same low prices as hospitals. The prices charged to community pharmacies are often 3 to 5 times, and sometimes 10 to 20 times, higher. The lower prices are not offered to hospitals because the hospitals buy in bigger quantities than the national chain drug stores and independent pharmacy buying groups which often purchase in much bigger quantities than most hospitals. Manufacturers charge low prices to hospitals to get on their list of approved drugs because: (1) physicians tend to prescribe for their office patients the drugs which the hospital list requires them to prescribe for hospitalized patients and: (2) manufacturers know that after patients leave the hospital they tend to stay on the same drug that was prescribed for them while they were in the hospital. Therefore they entice hospitals to hook patients on expensive drugs for the rest of their lives.

What is truly mind boggling is that both hospitals and community pharmacies often buy drugs from the same wholesaler, but, as we said earlier, the price to the community pharmacy (even when bought in the same quantity as the hospital purchases) is 3 to 5 times higher. This works through the "Chargeback System" in which the manufacturer sells products to the wholesaler at artificially high prices but then allows the wholesaler to charge back to the manufacturer the difference between the artificially high original price and the low price if the product is sold to a favored customer such as a hospital.

If you think this might be a violation of the federal anti trust laws then you will understand why our pharmacy has joined in filing a class action law suit against 32 drug manufacturers and wholesalers to bring this practice to a halt. We believe that the same price should be offered to all buyers when they buy in like quantities.

We pledge that when we get access to the lower prices, we will pass the savings on to you. Our goal is to provide our customers with EQUAL ACCESS to the lowest prescription prices available. We will keep you advised how the law suit progresses.

Call or stop by for a quote on your prescription.
We meet or beat most chain store or AARP prices.



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